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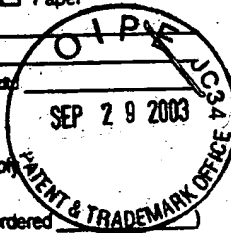
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16. An air return bulkhead comprising:
- a. a floating panel including opposing front and rear faces, an upper edge, an opposing lower edge, and opposing side edges,
  - b. an upper support panel descending rearwardly from the rear face of the floating panel at its upper edge,
  - c. two side support panels, each side support panel descending rearwardly from the rear face of the floating panel at one of its side edges,
  - d. one or more depressions recessed into the front face of the floating panel between the upper and lower edges of the floating panel,
  - e. two or more support columns, wherein each of the support columns includes opposing column walls extending downwardly with respect to the lower edge of the floating panel and descending rearwardly with respect to the rear face of the floating panel.
17. The air return bulkhead of claim 16 wherein the upper support panel is integrally formed with the floating panel and extends continuously across the width of the floating panel.
18. The air return bulkhead of claim 16 wherein the upper support panel includes spaced ridges defined thereon.
19. The air return bulkhead of claim 16 wherein the upper support panel includes spaced valleys defined therein.
20. The air return bulkhead of claim 16 wherein at least one of the depressions is spaced from the upper, lower, and side edges of the floating panel.